(c) what steps have been taken by the Government to implement the said suggestions and recommendations?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (KUMARI SAROJ KHAPARDE): (a) to (c) The Report has highlighted the lack of correct demand forecasting by the user Departments, improper scrutiny of indents by the Administration, lack of trained manpower in the purchase and Store Department, lack of planning regarding accessories, spares, reagents etc., lack of preplanning regarding supportive infrastructure, and rudimentary facilities for repairs of equipment, and has recommended formulation of a proper Purchase Requisition Proforma, Constitution of a Purchase Committee, simultaneous action regarding procurement of accessories, spares and repairs, and Inter Hospital Coordination. These will be implemented to the extent possible within the resources available.

DTC Bus Service between Ajmeri Gate and Gurgaon

1528. SHRI SATYA PRAKASH MALAVIYA: Will the Minister of SURFACE TRANSPORT be pleased to refer to Unstarred Question 2672 given in the Rajya Sabha on the 2nd December, 1987 and state:

(a) whether Government propose to restart DTC Bus service between Gurgaon and Ajmeri Gate/Central Secretariat after 7.00 P.M.;

(b) if so, by when; and if not the reasons therefor; and

(c) whether Government propose to increase the services on this route?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF SURFACE TRANSPORT (SHRI RAJESH PILOT): (a) and (b) Operation of DTC buses on certain inter-state routes were restricted upto 19.00 hrs. as per directives of Delhi Administration. Keeping in view the traffic demand and other operational factors, the DTC have in consultation with Delhi Administration restored the operations of its services on these routes including this one from 19.00 hours to 20.00 hrs.

(c) The DTC have introduced w.e.f. 2-11-1987 a new route from Shivaji Stadium to Sohana via Central Secretariat and Gurgaon with 5 buses. There is no proposal to add any more services at present.

Development of Guntakal Railway Junction

1529. PROF. C. LAKSHMANNA: Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether there is a proposal under Government's consideration for development of Guntakal Railway Junction in South Central Railway as a model Railway Station, in view of its being a very important railway junction connecting several important cities in the country; and

(b) whether there is also a proposal for constructing one more overbridge connecting different platforms in Guntakal Railway Junction to facilitate the passengers to reach the platforms easily?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI MAHABIR PRASAD): (a) No, Sir.

(b) Yes, Sir.

Technology Mission on Family Planning

1530. PROF. C. LAKSHMANNA: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government are considering to set up a Technology Mission along with other five technology Missions; and

(b) if so, what allocations have been made for the purpose?